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Back To The Land Movement is Growing

But the Government's Barb Wire Fences Prevent Colemanites From Becoming Tillers of the Soil—Much Valuable Ranch and Truck-Farm Land On Which There is Absolutely No Timber Now Included in Forest Reserve.

At the present time, when the doctrine of "back to the land" is being preached all over Canada,—when the man in the office, in the store, in the factory, in the mine, in the sawmill and in the lumber camp has come to realize that the basic industry of this country is agriculture, that on its success and development to a very large extent depends the prosperity of our other industries—let us examine our own district and see if this doctrine can be made to apply here.

We are today face to face with a condition such as many of us have never seen before. On every hand men are out of employment, looking for work and unable to find it, at a loss to know how they are going to feed and clothe their wives and families, racking their brains for a solution of this vital question—but finding none. The Bulletin offers no opinion at this time as to who is responsible for this fearful condition of affairs. Suffice to say that the blame assuredly can be placed for having hundreds of thousands of unemployed in a country so rich in natural resources.

Dr. Tory, president of the University of Alberta, and a recognized authority on agriculture, stated at a meeting in Olds recently that Alberta could feed a population of fifty million people. Compare that statement with affairs as they exist today. Our population is less than half a million, and we import a large percentage of our food supplies. The government of the country may not be alto-

gether to blame for this condition, but it certainly could give more encouragement to relieve the situation. And that brings us to the matter which we started out to write about:

The town of Coleman is the centre of one of the best and largest bituminous coal fields on this continent, and since development commenced twelve years ago it has been the scene of much activity and prosperity. There was work and good pay for every man who wanted to work, and very few seemed to think that our natural resources consisted of anything but coal.

Although the next generation will marvel at our stupidity and short-sightedness, our shades will defend themselves by saying that the same thing happened in California during the gold rush, that the miner could not see anything coming out of the soil of that land but gold nuggets. All that, however, is now changed, and although mining has practically ceased in that state, yet the land is producing "nuggets" more plentifully than in the wildest days of the gold rush.

The lands in the vicinity of Coleman can be turned to good advantage. It has been fully demonstrated that vegetables can be grown here equal to the products of any district in Alberta—or any other province. The few people who are engaged in stock raising have made a success of it. Owing to our very mild winters and light snow-fall

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Chief Ford announces that all dog taxes, licenses, etc., are now due and urges that they be paid promptly, as the town needs the money. Moreover, if doggie taxes are not delivered over to the city exchequer at an early date the law stipulates that he may be used for target practice by the municipal firing squad. So it's a new license tag or bullet proof coat for the perp.

MAYOR MORRISON WAS "DYNAMITED"

His Worship Receives the Full Benefit of Six Cases of the Deadly Explosive—And Still Lives to Tell the Story.

In connection with the work of opening up the road to West Coleman, one of the big items of expenditure has been the securing of a sufficient quantity of dynamite. With the idea of husbanding the Relief Society's "siller" as much as possible, the mayor recently wrote Canadian Explosives, Limited, at Edmonton, and suggested that this company donate a few cases of dynamite.

As was remarked in a previous issue of The Bulletin, His Worship usually gets what he goes after.

Last week he received a letter from the above named company stating that they would be pleased to donate five or six cases of 60 per cent. dynamite and that they were shipping half a dozen cases on the 18th.

At local prices, this dynamite is worth about \$90.00, and The Bulletin feels sure the generous contribution will be greatly appreciated by the townspeople.

THE COLEMAN PUBLIC SCHOOL PRESENTS REAL PROBLEM FOR TOWN RATEPAYERS TO SOLVE

As was to be expected, the news item in last week's issue of The Bulletin relative to school matters in Coleman caused no little comment and has been almost the chief topic of conversation on the street since. It is to be noted also that there does not appear to be any two opinions as to the need of retrenchment on a fairly substantial scale as far as school expenditures for the present year are concerned.

Undoubtedly there is a real problem confronting the people in that respect. The school board has submitted its estimate of expenditures necessary for 1915, which calls for one thousand dollars more than was disbursed last year, and Mayor Morrison has told them plainly that they cannot hope to raise the amount asked for. It is quite obvious that one of two things must be done—the expenditures must be reduced or the revenues must be increased. The mayor declares that the people are now paying every cent they possibly can, that it is utterly useless to talk about a higher tax rate, and that half the property on the assessment roll could be bought any time for less than its assessed value.

On the other hand, The Bulletin infers from conversations it has had with Chairman Cameron that the only place where any reduction in expenditure is deemed possible is in the "high school" department, which might be closed for the present. The school board, however, in its report, it is pointed out, have already submitted to what is tantamount to a substantial reduction in salary inasmuch as they agreed to forego the in-

creases which were due them for this year according to the terms under which they were engaged.

Furthermore, it seems the inspector has been urging that still another teacher be engaged, bringing the total staff up to eleven, and the board has provided for the necessary expenditure in this year's estimates, which are printed below. Many ratepayers criticize this idea and declare that if the inspector would exercise a little judgment he would not make any such recommendation at this time, for it is felt that under existing financial conditions the town would be doing pretty well if it stopped keeping the staff going which is at present employed. And this argument will sound pretty sane and sensible to a lot of people who are hard put to it to know where their

next meal is coming from.

Among the "fixed charges" which the board has to finance are found the following items:

Principal's salary	\$1500.00
Janitor	1020.00
(and free house in addition)	
Assistant principal	900.00
One teacher at	900.00
Three teachers at \$850.	2550.00
One teacher at	800.00
Three teachers at \$750.	2250.00
One teacher	312.00
Secretary and treasurer	120.00
Truant officer	100.00
Fuel	350.00
Insurance	650.00
Debtors	2315.00

Other items which go to make up the estimates for 1915 are:

School repairing account	\$600.00
Grounds	500.00
Furniture	300.00
Supplies	400.00
Interest	100.00
Technical classes	100.00
All other purposes	500.00

Taking it for granted that our

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Coleman's Educational Institution



SHALL IT REMAIN OPEN ALL YEAR OR PART OF THE YEAR ONLY.

We will continue selling Staple Groceries and Provisions at very close prices



Having shared in the prosperity attending the good times in Coleman, we are now willing to sacrifice profits and assist in tiding over the period of depression.

Five Roses Flour

98 lb. sack, \$4.15

B. C. Potatoes

100 lb. sack, \$1.65

We take this opportunity of thanking the good people of Coleman and vicinity for their generous response to our invitation to come and share in the special offerings we were putting on for Saturday and Monday selling.

The two-day sale was a wonderful success. The people got real bargains. We were busy, busy—the store crowded to the door. Many customers remarked:

"My! This is like old times."

We did our best to give everyone good service, but in the crush it may be that some did not get all the attention due them, and to them we express our regrets.

The winning ticket for the Dinner Set was No. 4721, and was held by Mr. Samuel Hatfield, of Cardanale.

W. L. Ouimette

New Arrivals For Spring

Five dozen Ladies' White Lawn Waists, very special, will be sold for \$1.25 each. See them.

New style Collars—Frilling, Ruching, etc.

New Prints, Gingham, Crepe Cloths.

Ladies' Suits and Skirts

Clark's Pork & Beans

Highest grade beans kept whole and evenly by perfect baking, retaining their full strength. Flavored with delicious sauces. They have no equal.

The Right Way to Strike A Match

Once in a while we have complaints about our matches breaking in two. This is no fault of the match as EDDY'S MATCHES are made from specially selected straight grained wood only. For the benefit of those who are in ignorance as to the proper way to hold a match (and there are many) we give the following directions:

"The forefinger of the right hand should be placed over the tip of the match, and withdrawn quickly when the flame comes. This prevents any undue leverage on the match and insures perfect lighting of the match."

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FACE TO ALL SUFFERERS

THE NEW FRENCH CURE FOR CANCER. This is the only cure for cancer that has been found. It is a simple, safe, and effective remedy. It is the only cure for cancer that has been found. It is a simple, safe, and effective remedy. It is the only cure for cancer that has been found. It is a simple, safe, and effective remedy.

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BABY IS VERY COMFORTABLE AND LAUGHS DURING THE TEETHING PERIOD. THANKS TO MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. PURELY VEGETABLE—NOT NARCOTIC.

PATENTS

Featherstonhaugh & Co., head office, King street east, Toronto, Canada.

Quite Vivid

The scenery of a servant girl led to a certain wealthy American lady engaging a farmer's daughter from a rural district of Ireland. Her want of familiarity with town ways and language led to many amusing scenes. One day a lady called at the residence and rang the bell. Kathleen, the servant, answered the call.

Can Mrs. — be seen? asked the visitor. Can she be seen? answered Kathleen. Sure, an O! think she can; she's six feet high, and four feet wide! Can she be seen? asked the visitor. Of anything like can ye see with she's about.

Mrs. Nuriel

Mrs. Nuriel was telling of her recent trip. How about the topography of the country? she was asked. Mostly Republic but a few Bull Moose.

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W. N. U. 1033

Accused Lake Tigers

Gurkhas Capture German Convey in Used of Night

Private Orchard of the City of London regiment, royal Fusiliers, tells of the daring methods of the Sikhs in the campaign.

"We had been having a pretty warm time of it," he said. "In the night the Germans made a sudden advance to our trenches. We let them come along until they were nearly on top of us, and then the Sikhs slipped out on their flank. They made terrible work with the bayonet, and the enemy were practically annihilated without a shot having been fired."

Another story told by Private Orchard relates to the capture of a German convey by the Gurkhas. The exploit took place in the dead of one night. The convey was stationary at the time, and was guarded by about twenty sentries.

"With knives between their teeth, the little brown fellows crawled right under the very shadows of the convey, and before the German sentries had time to realize what was about to happen the Gurkhas pounced upon them like tigers and killed every man jack of them."

The Gurkhas then settled down comfortably in charge of the convey, but they had not long to wait before the Germans came back in force, and the Gurkhas were again attacked to discover how matters stood.

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State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

Frank J. Chenevix Tsego, Clerk of the Court, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears on the records of said court.

Witness my hand and the seal of said court, this 10th day of December, A.D. 1918.

FRANK J. CHENEVIX TSEGO, Clerk of the Court.

CAVANS COATS FOR CANADIANS

Government Will at Once Order 40,000 Coats

The government has decided to place at once an order for forty thousand waterproof canvas coats, lined with sheepskin, for the Canadian expeditionary force. All the stocks of coats of this kind in Canada have been bought up by the government.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

New C.P.R. Steamers For the Pacific

Practically unaltered are the two new Princess steamships which are now almost complete at the Dumbarton yards of Messrs. William Denny & Brothers.

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Canada's Fisheries

The Resources of Canada's Fisheries Little Understood by Average Canadians

Few Canadians appreciate the fact that the waters in and around Canada contain the richest commercial food fishes in very great abundance. Such fishes as the cod, halibut, mackerel, herring, salmon, and sea trout are taken from Canadian waters in immense quantities every year, while the inland fisheries have world wide recognition.

Owing to the many large indentations, Canada's Atlantic coastline measures fully 5,000 miles from the strait of Belle Isle to the bay of Fundy, and the Pacific coast line is 7,000 miles in length. All the territorial waters along these coasts have abundance of food fishes. During the fiscal year 1915-16 the inshore and deep sea fisheries, produced fish having a market value of \$29,315,772, and the product of the inland fisheries was valued at \$4,073,692, making a total of \$33,389,464. Of this amount, British Columbia produced \$14,455,488, as an indication of the value and extent of the salmon and halibut fisheries of the Pacific provinces.

Another almost totally undeveloped fishery is that of Hudson Strait and Hudson Bay. The Dominion government has had its fishery officers in these waters during the past two years. All the territorial waters along these coasts have abundance of food fishes. During the fiscal year 1915-16 the inshore and deep sea fisheries, produced fish having a market value of \$29,315,772, and the product of the inland fisheries was valued at \$4,073,692, making a total of \$33,389,464. Of this amount, British Columbia produced \$14,455,488, as an indication of the value and extent of the salmon and halibut fisheries of the Pacific provinces.

Ordinary Corn Cures Are Dangerous

Because they contain acids, but Putnam's Corn Extract is entirely vegetable in composition. It is perfectly painless, safe, and sure to cure.

THE DENTIST

A dentist's ways are very rough. He keeps you wondering still. To and your mouth stretched big enough To hold a rolling mill.

Before he's got your stumps ground down And got your crowns to fit. He's got your mouth stretched big enough To hold a rolling mill.

And he gets the plugs plugged in. Why this he comes to me. You feel he has the jawbone of— (I needn't write it out).

And when the crown work is complete, He takes your teeth to the mill. And with his hammer, drill and lathe Constructs a bridge of steel.

One thing about the dentist makes us all as sick as a dog. He fills our mouth with funny fakes, Then hogs the conversation.

And when his job is at its worst— You think he's come to kill— He'll know that he's a failure, Offsets his hand with a bill.

Only the uninformed endure the agony of corns. The knowing ones follow Holloway's Corn Cure and get relief.

THE SOLDIER'S BET

Daring Trip to Plant French Flag on German Soil

The Journal publishes a letter from Toulon describing a d. o. recaptured by a French infantryman.

"One of our men," says the writer, "made a bet with a comrade that he would recapture the French flag in German territory. During the night he passed through the outposts of the enemy and he attended to the others. He had been taken at first his life would have been saved."

MESMERIZED

A Poisonous Drug Still Freely Used

Many people are brought up to believe that tea and coffee are necessities of life, and are strong hold of the drug, caffeine, in tea and coffee as on the system makes it hard to loosen its grip even when one realizes its injurious effects.

A lady writes: "I had used coffee for years; it seemed one of the necessities of life. A few months ago my health, which had been slowly failing, became more impaired, and I knew that unless I did something to break the habit I would soon be a physical wreck."

She was weak and nervous, had sick headaches, no ambition, and felt tired of life. My husband was also losing interest in life, and was slowly failing. With indignation that at times he could not get a few mouthfuls.

"Finally we saw Postum advertised and bought a package. I followed directions for making carefully, and added a little milk. It was a delicious looking and tasting drink I ever saw served at any table, and we have used Postum ever since."

"I gained five pounds in weight in a few weeks, and now feel well and have gone, and I am a new woman. My husband's indignation has left him, and he can now eat anything."

Name given by Canadian Postum Co., Windsor, Ont. Read "The Road to Wellville," in Postum.

Postum comes in two forms: Regular Postum—must be well boiled. Hot and 2 1/2 cups. Instant Postum—a soluble powder. A teaspoonful dissolves quickly in a cup of hot water, and with cream makes a delicious beverage instantly, save 50c. time.

The cost per cup of both kinds is about the same.

"There's a Reason" for Postum.



Old Dutch Cleanser

A few light rubs with "Old Dutch" sprinkled on a damp cloth brings new lustre. Equally effective for cleaning and brightening sinks, wash bowls and bath tubs.

Keep It Handy

Plucky Signallers

Though Wounded Crawls to Deliver His Message

Lance-Corporal Harry Head, of the King's Royal Rifle, who was wounded in the attack on the village of L., was hit on the right arm by a bullet which passed through the shoulder and the chest. He was taken to a field hospital, but he refused to be moved. He crawled to the top of the hill, and he died shortly afterwards.

French Colored Troops

Company of Africans Wiped Out Crown Prince's Regiment to the Last Man

The story of the annihilation of one of the crack regiments of the famous Prussian Guards is a terrible one. This regiment, it appears, had been sent to the front to advance upon the village of L., a large body of African troops had constructed defence works of the most extensive and ingenious nature, making the task of the Prussian Guards a matter of life and death.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria

May Furnish Boughs for Ship Fenders

Hundreds of bundles of hazelwood or willow boughs for the battlements of the Canadian and Imperial service are required for fenders to hang alongside the vessels.

Greater and Nobler France

France has re-discovered her soul in this war. That at any rate is some compensation for the heavy sufferings and sacrifices she has undergone and is undergoing. War has silenced the strident voice of faction, equalized the scale of justice, and forgotten; there is more unity of feeling and purpose in France than she has known for two generations.

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JOB PRINTING—Our equipment is thoroughly modern and up-to-date and our prices are lower than those charged in any other town in The Crow's Nest Pass.

R. L. Norman, Editor and Proprietor

COLEMAN, ALTA., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1915

Editorial Comment

IN PRINTING elsewhere in this issue a rather lengthy discussion pertaining to the financial problem which at present confronts the school board. The Bulletin is simply acting on the principle that it is the function of a

SCHOOL FINANCING IS REAL PROBLEM

newspaper to give to the ratepayers all the information available concerning questions of public concern. We have no axe to grind. Our interest in school matters is precisely the same as that of any other taxpayer in the municipality. And the problem is purely a financial one. There is no use trying to hood-wink ourselves—retrenchment must be made and the expenditures curtailed to a very considerable extent—not because The Bulletin, or the trustees, or any particular group of ratepayers desire it, but solely and only because the town cannot raise cash enough to keep the school going on the present scale.

It seems to be the general opinion that the high school department must go, and it might as well be candidly admitted that if judged by past results that department has not been worth its cost—or anywhere near it—to the town. For example, out of six pupils who went up for examination last year but one succeeded in passing, which, in other words, means that during the year ending at mid-summer, 1914, we spent upwards of fifteen hundred dollars on a high school that was of real benefit to only ONE pupil. For the previous years there is no record of the successful pupils available, but the fact that Coleman children are now in Lethbridge and Calgary obtaining instruction that our own "high school" might reasonably be expected to diffuse would seem to indicate that "the game is hardly worth the candle." Certainly, it makes it quite clear that if any department has to go, if any sacrifice has to be made in our educational facilities, it ought to be in our "high school."

And while we are on the subject, it might not be amiss to hand a little bouquet to the school board and suggest to the members of that body that it is about time they were taking a penetrating squint at the inspector who covers this district. We do not for a moment doubt his ability to deal intelligently with his work—educationally—but when he gets busy and asks the board to provide another teacher, with all the additional equipment and expense naturally connected with such increase in our teaching staff, at a time when every municipality in the country is living from hand to mouth as it were, it seems to us that there must be something radically wrong with his head.

However, the average school inspector runs largely to foolish and impossible recommendations, that is, foolish and impossible from the point of view of the municipality which has to foot the bills, and we presume our inspector is no worse than the rest of them. But it does not seem to have dawned upon our trustees that while an inspector can "recommend" no end of things, he has no power to "compel" the board to do anything. Therefore, many ratepayers may reasonably ask: "Why all this haste about adding another teacher to our staff, and increasing our financial burden, which even now is greater than we can bear?" No one questions the need of another teacher; no one doubts that the efficiency of the school would be increased thereby, but we all know that we cannot afford it.

There are plenty of people in Coleman who know perfectly well that a nice juicy joint of beef would make their dinner more attractive; but they also know that they cannot afford it, therefore they go without.

Communications

While The Bulletin is willing to accept and print communications dealing with public questions, we do not accept any responsibility for, or necessarily endorse, any opinions expressed by correspondents.

Urges Public Meeting

To the Editor of The Bulletin:

I read with pleasure your remarks in last week's issue of The Bulletin. It may I hope be the means of drawing the attention of our ratepayers to school matters in general. There are some expenses in connection with the school that are debatable. The school board advertised the annual meeting held last December for two weeks and intimated that there were questions which they wished to discuss with the ratepayers. The result was that two ratepayers turned up; and at the election the three old trustees were returned by large majorities. This would indicate, if anything, that the policy of the board was endorsed.

All over the Province there are financial troubles, municipalities and school boards sharing alike. This is no doubt temporary in most places, but I maintain that in Coleman—and in all the school districts of the Crow's Nest Pass we are up against a contingency which the return of good times will not remedy. It looks as if sources of revenue will remain stationary,

while expenses grow year by year. Individually, I feel that we are paying a high rate of taxation. What, then, is to be done? There are three ways open to us, namely, reduce the expenses, tap new sources of revenue, or get the Government to increase the grant. I will not discuss the former as at best it is a temporary and spasmodic remedy. The latter two have possibilities of a permanent solution of our difficulties, but we must go about it in a proper manner.

May I suggest that a meeting of ratepayers be called in legal form, all phases of our school finances discussed, a remedy, if possible, found and endorsed by the ratepayers so as to give it weight with the powers that be in

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Edmonton. Then secure the co-operation of all The Pass school districts, prepare your case and press it before the Minister of Education.

I suggest this meeting be called by petition, so as to show a general public desire. This petition need not be circulated by stealth—no ratepayer should be ashamed to sign if convinced it is for the public good. I am sure no member of the school board will regard it as a discourtesy if a meeting is called to discuss their official actions.

If a public meeting is decided upon I will be pleased to have any ratepayer call on me and enquire about every item of expense—what it is for—so that all may be in a position to discuss intelligently the state of affairs when we meet.

I hope there will be a large meeting and that every ratepayer will come with the intention of helping to find a solution for our present difficulties.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for this space in The Bulletin.

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¶ And so it is in other walks of life. So it is, for example, in the commercial world. The man who gets out and looks for business usually finds it—but he has to go after it.

¶ The Crocus will not come to the child, he must go where the flower is and get it.

¶ The merchant who remains in his store, and makes no bid for business except what he is able to do within his own premises, seldom "gets by" when hard times hits him. One way of "going after" business is by using our well printed and attractive posters. Note what the largest sales agency in Calgary says about them. The following letter was sent us last summer, after the company had concluded a most successful sale in Coleman for Cecil Gower:

Calgary, Alta., Aug. 3rd, 1914.

L. Norman, Esq.,

Editor Coleman Bulletin,

Coleman, Alberta.

Dear Sir: We wish to express our appreciation of the services you rendered in our advertising for Mr. Cecil Gower, of your town. The manner in which you set up copy cannot be excelled, in fact our advertising was, if anything, put out in better shape than many of the large city printing houses serve us.

Again thanking you for your valuable co-operation in this line. We remain, yours truly,

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The Coleman Bulletin

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Coleman Girls Lose to Frank

The Coleman skating rink has been the central attraction this winter, but it is safe to say that on no occasion have the patrons received better entertainment than was afforded on Monday evening when the ladies' hockey team from Frank met the Coleman young ladies, and defeated them by a score of three to two.

The Bulletin has been in some doubt as to whether this game should be reported by the regular sporting editor of the paper—or by the society editor. We were not just sure whether most space should be given to the game itself—or to the costumes worn. But a friend at our elbow suggests that inasmuch as most of the costumes worn were borrowed, the less said about them the better—for whoever says it.



Harry Sutherland made a hit as referee

The conclusions of the game included the really good work of the Frank goal keeper, the individual work of Miss Sally Simpson, of Frank, the "tango" glides a la horizontal by some of the Coleman young ladies—and the fact that the referee discovered six off-sides during the game. Harry Sutherland performed the duties of the latter official, and since he was able to walk off the ice at the end of the game it must be assumed that his work was fairly satisfactory to the opposing teams. He got along fairly well until the Coleman ladies protested that Frank was ringing in a boy as goal tender and called upon the referee to give a decision in the matter. However, it was suggested that if "it" was a boy he was badly in need of a hair-cut, and the protest was withdrawn.



Was Frank's goal tender a boy or girl?

Miss Sally Simpson—did the scoring for Frank, and Miss Gladys Hilling placed the puck in the net for Coleman. The players on both teams demonstrated a knowledge of the theory of the game that possibly surprised the spectators. Hockey is good, clean wholesome sport and The Bulletin is glad the young ladies of The Pass have sufficient enterprise to enter into Canada's national winter game.

Local News Items

Rev. W. T. Young, of Frank, spent Monday afternoon in Coleman.

For sale—Eggs for hatching. White Leghorn. 13 for \$1.00. W. Gower, Coleman. 40

Right up to date! Last week's issue of the Blairmore Enterprise reached Coleman Tuesday morning.

Rev. T. M. Murray is in Lethbridge this week attending the regular meeting of the Macleod Presbytery.

Mrs. Harry Augel underwent a serious operation this week, but is now making splendid progress toward recovery.

P. Maletta returned to Coleman on Tuesday morning after having spent the past two months in New York and other eastern points. While in the east Mr. Maletta secured control of imported Italian goods in this district, and expects to go into business here again in a few weeks.

The regular meeting of the council takes place next Tuesday evening. The school board meets on Wednesday evening.

The benefit dance held in the opera house on Tuesday evening was fairly well attended and a very enjoyable time was spent by those present.

Mrs. D. A. MacAuley left on Tuesday evening for her new home in Drumhillier. A large number of her Coleman friends were at the station to see her off.

The work of building a stone wall along the roadside on Fourth street is proceeding apace. The construction of this wall became necessary on account of the sliding of the hill.

A meeting of the Coleman Relief Society will be held in the council chamber on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend this meeting. A meeting of the Red Cross Society is also called for 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, in the same place, and everybody will be made welcome at this meeting, too.

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Trey o' Hearts
Series No. 3.

Rose, waking from her drugged sleep in the hotel in Portland, is smuggled out of the hotel, driven from Portland to Gloucester, where she is conveyed aboard the fishing schooner that intercepted the "Sea Venture." The schooner immediately sets sail. When Judith comes aboard Rose is locked up in a stateroom.

Alan and Barcus, swimming to shore of Nausett Beach, (as will be seen at the Rex Theatre Tuesday and Wednesday evenings), stretch out panting and half exhausted and watch the "Sea Venture" bump into the water's edge and sink. A mile farther off shore Judith's schooner lies at anchor. Judith and five confederates, dressed as fishermen, pile into a dory, leaving Rose imprisoned in her stateroom, and row cautiously ashore to capture Alan and Barcus. When not far from the beach they burn a blue flare on the water. Judith, with a rifle in the bows, fires at the two men. They retreat down the beach and strike off inland. Beaching the dory Judith strikes off in pursuit.

Eventually throwing off the chase, Alan and Barcus squirm, unseen, up to the lip of the bluff, where they overlook the dory and its guard. As the latter, unconscious of danger, lights his pipe, Alan clubs him down. Then Barcus and Alan steal the dory and make for the schooner. Judith and her companions return to learn of their loss. They fire upon the dory, but without effect. Alan and Barcus also take possession of the deserted vessel. Alan finds Rose in the cabin.

Judith's party tramp several miles to the nearest life-saving station, which they find deserted. Breaking into the boat-house they bring out and launch the motor-driven life boat. In the cabin of the schooner Rose tells Alan of the manner in which she was brought aboard. On deck Barcus flinches with impatience because of the delay they take in the lights and proceeds to get under way. Judith and her party, in the stolen life-boat, pursue. The schooner and the life-boat round Monomoy Point. Day breaks and a fog closes in.

Judith at length runs across the schooner in the fog. The life-boat, abandoned, drifts down the side and sheers off. Alan jumps for the companionway, where he has left his rifle, but slips. Before he can recover he is seized by two of Judith's

party. Two others grab Barcus. One man holds Rose a prisoner.

At this juncture a huge coast-wise steamship, running through the fog at full tilt, runs down the schooner. Alan, Barcus, Rose, Judith and the five men, all in the stern, are thrown into the water. The steamship slips past and out of sight in the fog, then stops and lowers a life-boat.

Barcus and Rose come to the surface together, and the latter, aided by Barcus swims to the abandoned motor life-boat. He helps Rose into this. Alan, coming to the surface, observes Judith swimming at a little distance, but cannot tell whether she is Judith or Rose. He swims to her, offering her assistance. Judith tries to drown him by clutching his throat. He manages to break her hold. Barcus finds him, draws him to the side and helps him aboard. Alan recognizes

Rose, is much relieved, but is horrified by the thought of Judith drowning. Barcus restrains him from making a fool attempt at a rescue—and starts the engine, steering the life-boat away from the scene. Judith comes to the surface unconscious. The boat from the steamship eventually discovers and rescues her.

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A Trifling Mistake

Mrs. Lane is a zealous and loyal wife and intends to avoid excesses, but she has a strong tendency in that direction.

"It is perfectly wonderful," she said to a patient friend, "to see the way Mr. Lane counts bills at the bank. I think they are so lucky to have him. He'll take a great pile of five and ten and twenty dollar bills and make his fingers fly just like lightning, and never make a mistake."

"Never!" asked the friend, who knew Mrs. Lane's weakness, and could not forbear the question.

"Well—no—at least," stammered Mrs. Lane, "why, perhaps, she might get five or ten cents out of the way but not any more, ever."

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Canadian Chinamen Ready to Help

The other day a British reserve in Montreal with his wife and family received the call to join the colors immediately.

"He decided to take his wife and children to England to stay during his absence. He found the most convenient arrangement would mean leaving Montreal the following day. But it was mid week, and the family was at the Chinaman's. The "boys" shook their heads—the wash would not be sorted out before Saturday. But just then the boss laundryman came in.

"Your husband going to the war? Velly grave man! He work all night to get your laundry."

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Lady—Which part, dear?

Little Girl—Why, all of me.



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"Death from these bombs comes instantly from intense cold and concussion."

The bomb is similar in size and weight to the dynamite bomb which is used with great effect. The material composing it, which is simple, can be carried by any air man, and the bomb can be fired by the airman or his assistants before he starts.

In addition to the fact that French airmen have four terrible weapons of destruction in use.

The steel armor, 1/2 in. long, grooved, about an ounce in weight and carried in a box which launches 1,000 feet into the air, and is seen flying high over one of these will go clean through a rider and his horse. The armor carries several thousands on each flight.

The quick firing air gun, which has accounted for many of the enemy's machines.

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Germany's Failure

Germany built the most formidable military machine that was ever put together.

Germany put that machine into operation at a time of Germany's own choosing.

And Germany's military machine has nothing to show for 111 days of activity but a Belgium trampled under foot and a successful or partially successful defensive against the allies on the French border and against the czar's armies on the Russian border.

Napoleon, Von Moltke and other great commanders would have considered themselves fortunate to have spent 40 years in building up a military machine, if they had put that machine into operation at a time of their own choosing and had accomplished nothing more than Emperor William has accomplished in 111 days of warfare.

Germany did not go to war in order to prove that German armies could temporarily defend German territory. Germany went to war in order to prove that German armies could permanently occupy adjacent territories and trample down neighboring nations. The might of Germany's preparations, the magnitude of Germany's attack, the result of Germany's campaign, the result of Germany's campaign, so far is failure.—Toronto Telegram.

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The British Soldier

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George, said Hilda, looking up from the morning paper which she was reading, it says here that another copogenerian's dead. What is an octogenarian?

"Well, I don't know what they are, but I must be very sickly creature. You never hear of them but they are dying."

Mrs. A.—So your son is home from college?

Mrs. H.—Yes; and he has the strangest ideas! He says he's descended from a monkey, but I'm sure I don't see how that can be, of course, it's on his father's side.

Some Sob Sister Story

Judge—Officer, what's the matter with the prisoner? Tell her to stop that crying. She's been at it fifteen minutes (Mrs. Sob).

Officer—Please, sir, I'm a-thinking she wants to be haled out.

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Young French Girl Who Risked Life
to Help British Wounded

A pretty story of a sixteen year
old French girl's bravery is told by
Colonel S. H. de la Roche, of the
regiment. It was after one of the
hardest fights along the Aisne, and
dread of the British wounded were
lying out in the open after the
battle with little prospect of relief
until the next day. Most of the poor
fellows were nearly mad with thirst.
Many were delirious, and others were
just sensible enough to keep murmur-
ing for greater relief. Then we heard a
gentle footfall, the corporal added,
and looking up, we saw a charming
girl about sixteen years of age, with
her hair about the neck of the dead
and wounded. She had brought us goat's milk
and she gave us this milk.

"We learned that she was from a
farm near by, just out of the line of
fire, and she had risked her life in
coming here to give us something to
drink because she was grateful to the
British troops for helping to drive the
German invaders back. She seemed
to be without fear, and tripped briskly
along in spite of the shells and rifle
fire. We "saw all stripes and colors
when she was carried into hospital."

Next day, she had been shot on the
way back to her home. She died after
an operation the doctors hoped
she would pull through. Every soldier
will say her prayers, for her every
night.

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He Was Executed

I want to be executed, said the worried
looking jurymen, addressing the
judge. I owe a man five pounds that
he owes me five pounds. I have
been looking for him for years, and
I can't find him. I want to be
executed before he gets to the bank
and pay him the five pounds.

They are executed, returned the
jurymen, in my tones. I don't want
anybody on the jury who can lie like that.

Killing the Officers

Officers are being killed at an extraordinary
rate by the British forces serving
on the continent every seventh man
killed has been an officer, ranging in
rank from lieutenant to general.

That is very impressive. It indicates
that commanders are filling the
posts of greatest peril in this
war. They are not sending privates to
death; they are sending their best
men.

Sharpshooters are being held
responsible for an enormous death rate
among the officers of all the armies.
Only recently we have been told
that French officers were abandoning
their conspicuous uniforms, or
occasionally of sharpshooters, which
has been trained upon them since the
war began.

It is an improbable that statistics
could at the end of this war tell
us that all of the who took part in
it the warrior least exposed to danger
was the private soldier.—Pittsburgh
Telegraph.

REGAINS FLAG LOST IN 1870

Czar Restores Colors to His Ally

Taken From Germany

The Emperor of Russia has restored
to France a flag which since the war
of 1870 had been in German hands
until its recent capture by the Russians
during their invasion of Central Prussia.

An official announcement to this
effect, says: "By the order of Emperor
Nicholas, a French flag which was captured
from the Frenchmen of Transco
in 1870 has been handed over to the
czech embassy at Petrograd. The
flag was found by Russians in the of-
ficers' mess of the 12th Prussian Dragoon
regiment, which was garrisoned at Lyck,
East Prussia."

Brigs—We are coming around to see
you this evening.

Origs—That's right; but do me
a favor and don't let me hear of
wear her new fall suit; I don't want
my wife to see it just now.

Brigs—Yes, my dear, that's
just why we are coming.

You know I never boast, the opponent
began.

Never boast? Splendid! And he
added quickly, No wonder you brag
about it.

Math. Prof.—How do you make V
equal X?

Sporty Stud—If I only knew, I
would be broke so often.

Don't you think that the Muscovite
oughtn't to be awful?

Yes, I've never heard it; can you show
me the steps?

Sore Eyes

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Scarcer as the Demand Grows

African Elephants, Now Being Killed
Off, Have Long Furnished the
Supply of Ivory

When the late Emperor visited
the London docks a short time ago,
says London Answers, they saw laid
out on the floor of one of the great
warehouses \$750,000 worth of ivory—
an array of ten tusks which must
have represented great hunting adventures
in tropical forests.

Africa is the chief source of the
world's supply of ivory, and it is estimated
that 70,000 elephants are annually
slaughtered for their tusks. But
not more than twenty per cent. of this
ivory is represented in the total im-
ports to Europe.

Elephants have been dying off for
years and years, and it is only since
ivory came into general use that their
tusks have been dug from the
Some of them have, in the meantime,
been stored and used by natives in
many ways. Even today some native
chiefs in the interior of Africa possess
stockades round their palaces com-
posed of rows of tusks collected when
they were of little value, and they now
barter these for the luxuries of modern
life.

But elephants still abound in the
German Southwest African district
known as Caprivi. This place is in the
extreme south of Orange Free State,
and is completely unexplored by Ger-
mans in order to avoid irritating the
natives, and yet the district contains
more elephants than any other in
Africa. The Portuguese are well ac-
quainted with the ivory trade, and
they convey thence via Angola
has long been a source of unlimited
supply.

Of course, ivory is produced in small
quantities by the hippopotamus, nar-
whale and sperm whale, but the com-
paratively small quantities of these
former have long ceased to suffice
even for dentists alone, though no
other kind of ivory is adapted for their
special requirements. Any supply that
may be extracted from the ocean is
obviously of too slight and precarious
a nature to be relied on, and though
important remains of mammoth tusks
are found from time to time, the
Siberia the ivory trade of ancient
and modern has practically depended
upon the African elephant.

Although in recent years the ivory
imported into London has decreased,
the falling off has been caused by a
new market having been created by
the opening up of the Congo Free
State. The ivory coming from that
region is now sold in Antwerp, so that
when the quantities are put together
the total imports actually show an in-
crease.

The average weight of ivory obtained
from a single elephant is about fifty
pounds, but the average weight of the
tusks of the elephant is about 100
pounds and 150 pounds have been re-
corded. Examples have even been
recorded of tusks weighing 200
pounds in weight, but these are very
rare.

The most expensive tusks are those
used in the manufacture of billiard
balls; they have cost as much as \$800
per hundred weight, but the average
price is about \$200 per hundred weight.
The average price of the ivory of the
best tusks may be placed at \$200
per hundred weight. The ivory of the
billiard balls, ivory is chiefly used for
knives and other handles, combs, piano
keys, chessmen and carved ornaments.

All the tusks are sorted into sizes
and qualities, and the shavings that
remain after the tusks have been cut
have taken what they want are made
up into a thousand small articles in
use. In fact, the ivory trade is a
very extensive one.

Although ivory has been the subject
of almost as much artistic perception
as the ivory of the billiard balls, it is
with its purely utilitarian aspects that
people are now chiefly concerned.

The ivory of the billiard balls is
admittedly supreme. Celluloid, for
instance, is one of its counterfeiters,
and the ivory of the billiard balls is
magnetically developed during recent
years, particularly in the United
States, where the ivory of the billiard
balls is made of ivory, and, as man-
ufacturers tell us, must now be made
of ivory.

Then there is what is known as
vegetable ivory, produced from the nut
of the baobab tree, which grows in the
northern regions of South America.
The kernel of these nuts when ripe
is covered with a hard, white, and
pear a remarkable resemblance to real
ivory. They are extensively used in
the manufacture of buttons, umbrellas
handles and small trinkets, and mil-
lions of them are being imported into
Great Britain every year.

BIKH'S DISC OF DEATH

Strange Weapon Used by the Indian
Troops in War

The Sikhs fighting in the war
certainly claim to possess the most
unique form of weapon of any military
unit in the world. This is a
hand thrown missile, composed of
metal similar in shape to the discus
with which we have been made fa-
miliar in Roman history. Its edge is
sharpened, and thrown with a pecu-
liar circular motion, has extraordinary
penetrating power. It cuts like a
knife through paper when it strikes
any object in its path. At a distance
of 100 yards the disc is capable of
cutting its way through a piece of
leather, and it is said to have cut
peculiar twist given to the weapon
when it is thrown which causes the
cutting edge to follow the line of the
disc of death at the Battle of Dis-
mude, when 20,000 Germans are said
to have been slaughtered in a brilliant
Indian charge.

Now—Jack, dear, did you call on
papa today?

Jack—Sure I did, but he didn't ap-
pear to enjoy me very much over my
visit.

Now—What did he say?

Jack—He said he wanted him for
permission to press my suit, he sim-
ply answered, "Why don't you send it
to a tailor?"

She—I'm not to blame for your
silly suit.

He—You are. You said I looked well
in a bathing suit.

Did you know I was a fool?

No, I thought he knew it.—Hartford
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which the Canadian Pacific Railway
leased in 1911 for 99 years shows that
new wharves have been built; 45 miles
of new track have been laid; 30
miles of new 85 pound rails have
been laid down; 120 cattle guards
have been filled and replaced by sur-
face guards, while dozens of bridges
have been either improved or rebuilt.
In round figures 6,000 feet of wooden
bridges have been replaced, or will
be replaced very shortly, by steel
bridges, concrete arches, and rail top
crossings. 24 miles in extent have
been built; a general renovation has
taken place, costing many thousands
of dollars. During the past two years
35 stations have been repaired and
painted, and platforms have been
erected. A new line from Centreville
to Weston, 24 miles in extent, has
been built in the most substantial
manner. Both permanent work and
lighter structures have been given
attention have been carried out; and
today—the old Dominion Atlantic
looks much better than it has in years.
It had taken on a new lease of life.

A movement for the recovery of the
last English clock made intended at
a recent largely attended meeting
of interested members of the trade.
A proposal to manufacture in England
on a co-operative basis a standardized
clock of 127 1/2 inches in length, the
articles was favorably received, a com-
mittee being formed to report on the
scheme.

Something in the nature of a limited
company with a capital of £100,000,
entirely subscribed for by members
of the trade, so that the co-operative
character of the scheme may be re-
tained, appears to be the basis of the
proposition.

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The remedy is to use the toothache
oil. When you have an unwelcome
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the nerve with soothing effect and the
pain disappears. That foreign man
who is another name quality of this
oil, showing the many uses it has.

Saved His Regiment

Men of the Dorset Regiment tell
us that the would be one of the
number, Private W. Jarvis, during the
retreat from Mons, Jarvis stayed be-
hind to look after the baggage train, and
to cover the retreat of his regiment.
Eventually he had to carry the
gun out of action on his back, as the
trade, so that the co-operative
character of the scheme may be re-
tained, appears to be the basis of the
proposition.

Old Lady (compassionately)—Poor
fellow! I suppose your blindness is in-
curable. Have you ever been treated?
Blind Man (sighing)—Yes, mum, but
not often. "Taint many as likes to be
seen going into a public house with a
blind beggar."

Judge—Are you guilty or not guilty?
Pat—Arrah, now, your honor, how
can I tell till I hear the verdict?

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COLEMAN PUBLIC SCHOOL PRESENTS REAL PROBLEM FOR RATEPAYERS TO SOLVE

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1915 assessment will be substantially the same as last year, and that the same rate is levied, if every dollar of taxes levied was collected before the end of the year the school board would even then have a surplus of only about four hundred dollars. But there was only \$14,227.51, taxes—both school and town—collected in 1914, and there will be less this year. In Lethbridge they estimate that but half the taxes levied for 1915 will be collected. In Coleman we have no reason to expect anything better. Where, then, is the money to come from to run the school? After the Municipality had financed the school during the past year it wound up with a deficit of eight hundred dollars at the bank, which still remains unpaid. In other words, the town just failed by eight hundred dollars to get in enough money last year to run the school.

The townspeople will now begin to understand why there was no money for any other purpose, why there were no funds available to assist in relief work, and why it was necessary to take up private subscriptions when a small expenditure on the park was deemed necessary. The school absorbed all the civic cash!

The Bulletin does not suppose that a single one of its readers will question the wisdom of making reasonable sacrifices with a view to giving the children of the community every educational advantage possible, but it should not be forgotten that the whole country is dealing with panic conditions at the present time and as business concerns and individuals have had to trim their sails accordingly, so also will the municipalities have to trim.

And it is much better to face our school problem now than six months hence—but face it we must now or later—and from the information at hand it would seem that unless the board succeeds in reducing its estimates considerably we will be in the same position later on that Lethbridge now finds itself in—we will have to close the school for lack of funds.

To sum up, the situation in a nutshell, then, is: The board says it must have sixteen thousand dollars to run the school for the year. The mayor says it is absolutely impossible to raise that amount of money—and he is backed up by an array of figures and circumstances which prove that he is right. The only remaining question, therefore, appears to be—shall the school run as it is for a portion of the year only, or shall the cost of operation be sufficiently curtailed to enable the board to keep the school open for the whole year?

BACK TO THE LAND MOVEMENT IS GROWING

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stock can graze out all winter. Our district is specially adapted to the raising of horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and poultry, and if the government will remove certain restrictions we may confidently look forward to a back-to-the-land movement in Coleman.

One of the restrictions to which we refer is a forest reserve—WHERE THERE IS NO FOREST. This reserve borders on our very townsite, and numerous people who wished to settle on lands adjacent to the town, the timber on which had been cut years ago, were told that they could not do it as the land was in the "forest reserve." Another obstacle is that large

areas of land are held under timber leases by certain companies. Some of these leases date back twenty years, and although the timber was taken off the land many years ago, the lease still holds good, thus blocking the way of the home-seeker and retarding the development of our district and the prosperity of our people.

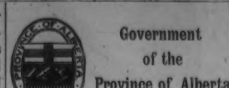
The Bulletin is of the opinion that if these matters were brought to the attention of the government they would take steps to cancel these useless leases, and move the forest reserve back to the timber line.

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JOHN STOKES, Deputy Minister, Department of Public Works, Edmonton, Alta.

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